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## CLAIMS

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1. A two-component dental bleaching system wherein the components are adapted to be admixed and applied to the teeth from a dental tray for sustained contact, said system comprising:

as a first component, a dental peroxide gel comprising both carbamide peroxide and hydrogen peroxide; and

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as a second component, an orally compatible activator gel wherein said activator gel includes a base to increase its pH.

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2. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component includes hydroxypropyl cellulose.

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3. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises carbamide peroxide at a weight percentage of at least about 10%, based on the total weight of said first component.

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4. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises hydrogen peroxide at a weight percentage of at least about 0.5%, based on the total weight of the first component.

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5. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises hydrogen peroxide at a weight percentage of at least about 5%, based on the total weight of the first component.

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- 6. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises carbamide peroxide at a weight percentage of at least about 16% and hydrogen peroxide at a weight percentage of at least about 1.5%, based on the total weight of the first component.
- 7. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises carbamide peroxide at a weight percentage from about 10% to about 25% and hydrogen peroxide at a weight percentage from about 0.5% to about 10%, based on the total weight of the first component.

8. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises carbamide peroxide at about 16% by weight and hydrogen peroxide at about 1.3% by weight, based on the total weight of the first component.

- 9. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises carbamide peroxide at about 16% by weight and hydrogen peroxide at about 6% by weight, based on the total weight of the composition.
- 10. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the first component comprises carbamide peroxide at a weight percentage of about 16% and hydrogen peroxide at a weight percentage of about 10%, based on the total weight of the composition.
- 11. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the activator gel comprises sodium fluoride and potassium nitrate.

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- 12. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1, wherein the activator gel comprises potassium nitrate and tetrapotassium pyrophosphate.
  - 13. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1 wherein the activator gel comprises:

	Propylene Glycol	33.000%
10	Klucel GF	1.980%
	Propylene Glycol USP	16.970%
	Glycerin, USP	38.100%
	Peppermint PE-07274	0.200%
15	Natural Peppermint	0.400%
	Oil PE-05523	
	DI Water	0.500%
	Potassium Hydroxide	0.300%
	Sodium Fluoride	0.350%
20	Cab-O-Sil EH-5	8.200%

14. The dental bleaching system according to claim 1 wherein the activator gel comprises:

33.000%

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30	Klucel GF premix	1.980%
	Propylene Glycol USP	12.576%
	Glycerin, USP	40.000%
	Peppermint PE-07274	0.200%
	Natural Peppermint	0.400%
	Oil PE-05523	
	Cab-O-Sil EH-5	11.000%
	Potassium Hydroxide	0.300%
	DI Water	0.544%

Propylene Glycol/

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15.	The	dental	bleaching	system	according	to	claim	1
wherein	the ac	ctivator	gel compri	ses:				

5	Propylene Glycol/	33.000%
10	Klucel GF premix	1.980%
	Propylene Glycol USP	7.767%
	Glycerin, USP	32.753%
	Art. Cherry CH-05506	0.600%
	Cab-O-Sil EH-5	5.600%
	Potassium Nitrate FCC	5.400%
	Potassium Hydroxide	0.300%
	DI Water	12.600%

The dental bleaching system according to claim 1 16. wherein the activator gel comprises:

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		Propylene Glycol USP	7.767%
		Glycerin, USP	32.753%
		Peppermint PE-07274	0.200%
	25	Natural Peppermint	0.400%
		Oil PE-05523	
		Cab-O-Sil EH-5	5.600%
		Potassium Nitrate FCC	5.400%
		Potassium Hydroxide	0.300%
		DI Water	12.600%

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